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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	Case No. 2:21-cr-00209-KJM
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Plaintiff,)	STIPULATION AND ORDER TO SET FOR
)	ARRAIGNMENT ON INFORMATION,
v.)	VACATE PRELIMINARY HEARING AND
)	EXCLUDE TIME
SASHANA JAMES,)	
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Defendant.)	Date: October 28, 2021
)	Time: 2:00 p.m.
)	Judge: Hon. Kendall J. Newman

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED, by and between the parties, through their respective counsel, Assistant United States Attorney Robert Artuz, counsel for plaintiff, and Assistant Federal Defender Megan T. Hopkins, counsel for defendant Sashana James, that the preliminary hearing scheduled for October 28, 2021 at 2:00 p.m. be vacated and this matter be set for an arraignment on an information on **October 27, 2021 at 2:00 p.m.**

The government filed an information on October 25, 2021 alleging that Ms. James violated Title 18 of the United States Code, sections 371 and 641. Ms. James will waive her right to an indictment by grand jury and the parties request that an arraignment be scheduled for October 27, 2021 at 2:00 p.m.. The parties further request that the preliminary hearing scheduled for October 28, 2021, be vacated.

1 The parties agree that the ends of justice served by setting an arraignment date of October
2 27, 2021, outweigh the best interest of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. Therefore
3 the parties agree that time is excludable pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), (B)(iv) (Local
4 Code T4).

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6 Dated: October 25, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

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14 DATED: October 25, 2021

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ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the preliminary hearing scheduled for October 28, 2021, at 2:00 p.m. is VACATED and this matter is set for arraignment on an information on **October 27, 2021, at 2:00 p.m.** before Magistrate Judge Edmund F. Brennan. The time period through and including October 27, 2021 is excluded under the Speedy Trial Act pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) and (B)(i) and (iv), as the ends of justice served by granting the continuance outweigh the best interest of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial.

Dated: October 26, 2021


KENDALL J. NEWMAN
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE